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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :  
Toru TAKAHASHI et al. :  
Serial No. 10/644,709 : Group Art Unit: 3748  
Filed: August 20, 2003 : Examiner - Theresa Trieu  
For: GAS COMPRESSOR : Docket No. N002-5092

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**RESPONSE**

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In response to the Office Action mailed March 18, 2005, applicants amend their application as follows:

**ADDITIONAL FEE:**

No additional fee is believed required in connection with this response. However, should it be determined that a fee is due, authorization is hereby given to charge any such fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

**MAILING CERTIFICATE ON PAGE 16**